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COVINGTON JAIL IS EMPTIED EARLY TUESDAY MORNING

Thirteen Prisoners escape From Covington Jail Through Sawing the Bars—Murderer and Bank Robber in Crowd.

Sawing their way through the bars in the basement windows all of the thirteen prisoners in the Covington jail made their escape early last night before any of the police force knew of the delivery. Just as the last one of the prisoners was making his getaway the wholesale delivery was discovered and the police gave chase to the escaping prisoners, who were seen running over the Fourth street bridge toward Newport.

Among the men to escape was Mike Ward, convicted for manslaughter on last Friday and sentenced to serve six years in the penitentiary. Camillus Terlau, held in the jail on a charge of bank robbery in connection with the robbery of the Walton Savings and Deposit Bank, Walton, Ky., on December 14, 1920, also gained his liberty. When Terlau was arrested recently more than \$650 in bonds were found in one of his socks, and these are said to be a part of the \$40,000 "haul" that was made in the Walton robbery.

Discovery of the delivery was made by Ben Biedenharn, night turnkey, at the jail, when he went into the main room of the building, where prisoners are kept during the day, to lock the men up for the night. This is done ordinarily at 8:30 o'clock, and when the turnkey went into the room he found it deserted.

Hearing a noise in the open dummy elevator which leads from the second floor to the basement, Biedenharn ran to the shaft and looked down. In the dim light at the bottom of it he caught a glimpse of the last prisoner disappearing from sight. Bars that guarded the entrance to the dummy elevator had been sawed off flush with the wood so that only an opening large enough for food to be passed through was left.

The turnkey gave the alarm and rushed down into the basement with part of the officers on duty while the rest of the policemen ran into the street, hoping to head off the fugitives. But they were too late. The delivery had been well planned and those who went into the basement expecting to find the prisoners, discovered nothing but an open window with the bars neatly cut out.

Ledger Service—Efficiency

FARM BUREAU MEMBERSHIP IS DOUBLED ON TUESDAY

Campaigners Successful in Tuesday's
Canvass—Outlook for Big Organization Is Bright.

Officers and members of the Mason County Farm Bureau who canvassed parts of the county yesterday in an effort to increase the membership of that organization were quite successful according to an announcement made at the headquarters here today.

Although there were but four teams working the first day's list of fifty members was doubled on the second day and the officers are very much encouraged expecting to keep up this average throughout the entire week if weather conditions do not seriously interfere.

The meeting at Mayslick last night which was addressed by Mr. Geoffrey Morgan was a very successful one and the farmers attending were very much pleased. Another such meeting will be held at Minerva this evening at 7 o'clock and all farmers in that section are urged to attend.

TOBACCO*

Pure Kelly Tobacco Seed for sale at Home, Peoples, Growers, Liberty, Independent and Planters warehouses at \$1.00 per ounce. This seed was grown in Mason County. The tobacco was free from spot rust or wildfire. 9-3t

PRAYER MEETING IN WEST END OF CITY.

The prayer service of the First Baptist church will be held this evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gaither in West Second street.

EASTLAND SCHOOL.

The P. T. A. of the Eastland school will have a pie supper, candy and ice cream sale Friday evening at the school building. Everybody invited. 9-2t

B. P. O. E.

Regular meeting of Maysville Lodge No. 704, B. P. O. E., will be held this evening. GEORGE C. DEVINE, E. R. W. R. SMITH, Secretary.

CREAM.

Swift & Co. are now ready to receive cream at their station, 119 East Third street. Phone 405.

C. G. GAULT, Manager.

OPENING DAYS.

Friday and Saturday, 9Mar21 MRS. S. ARN.

Billy Sunday Accepts Invitation and Will Come to Maysville



BILLY SUNDAY *

Billy Sunday is coming to Maysville.

Rev. John A. Davis, pastor of the First Baptist church, held a conference with the famous evangelist and his managers in Mr. Sunday's apartment at the Sinton Hotel this morning and obtained the evangelist's promise to come to Maysville for a day during his stay in Cincinnati. The date could not be fixed but Mr. Rapp, manager for Mr. Sunday, said he would take the matter up immediately and would fix a date as soon as possible.

Several weeks ago Mr. Davis learned that Mr. Sunday most generally spent his Mondays in towns nearby the city in which he was holding a meeting, took the matter of bringing him to Maysville up with three members of the Cincinnati committee who were Mr. Davis' personal friends. Other local people became interested and the matter was brought before the local pastors' conference on last Monday, all of the local pastors joining in a pressing invitation to Mr. Sunday.

Mayor Russell and other city officials, also extended hearty invitations to the famous preacher and Rev. Mr. Davis was loaded with documents to show Mr. Sunday and his managers that he would be right welcome to Maysville.

Always anxious to have a part in every good thing for Maysville Colonel J. Barbour Russell yesterday wrote Mr. Sunday a long letter which he sent by special delivery, urging him to come to Maysville. The Colonel, of course, told Billy all about the famous Maysville Boys' Band and assured him that the band would meet him at the train and give him several concerts while here.

Mr. Davis' telegram received this afternoon simply says: "Saw Billy Sunday and he will gladly come. Time not set but will let you know the date soon. JOHN A. DAVIS." The local pastor is expected home this evening and arrangements will be started at once to prepare for one of the greatest religious gatherings Maysville has ever known. The big problem will be to house the people who will be anxious to hear this, the greatest evangelistic preacher of the age. These matters will be worked out by the local ministers in co-operation with the city officials.

Maysville people are to be congratulated upon this opportunity to hear the famous "Billy" and all those who had a part in inducing him to spend a day here are to be congratulated upon their success and thanked.

TOBACCO REMAINS STEADY.

Sales were held today at the Farmers, Peoples and Growers warehouses and reports from these houses are to the effect that the market remains about steady with no improvement being shown. A good rush of tobacco is expected within the next few days on the local market as the weather is now good for the handling of the weed.

PUBLIC LIBRARY RECEIVES VALUABLE GIFT.

The Mason County Public Library has just received a very valuable gift from Miss Ethel Gold, of Ponca City, Okla., in sixteen volumes of the Catholic encyclopedia.

LIBRARY REPORT FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

The local Librarian reports that during the month of February there were 885 visitors and 776 books were taken out by the visitors.

COLORED WOMAN DIES.

Malinda Graves, colored, aged 38, died last night at her home near Weston. Funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial will be in Maysville cemetery.

Start Early

USE OUR BED BUG POISON EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH
(OF BED BUGS) THAT ALWAYS STARTS IN THE SPRING.
REMEMBER THE R. B. THAT NEVER FAILS.

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Spring's Coming

WITH SUNSHINE AND ROSES—AND'S GOING TO BRING WITH HER PRETTY DAYS THAT FAIRLY COAX ONE OUT INTO THE OPEN. IT'S GOING TO BE A YEAR FOR BUGGY RIDES, THEY SAY, AND YOU'LL WANT TO BE RIGHT ON THE JOB WITH A NICE NEW BUGGY. WE HAVE IT FOR YOU—SOME OF THE DANDIEST YOU EVER SAW—AND BELIEVE ME—PRICED RIGHT COME EARLY.

YOURS, TO SEE YOU SOON

MIKE BROWN

The Square Deal Man
of Square Deal Square.

METHODISTS HOLD BIG CONFERENCE AT LEXINGTON

Prominent Ministers and Laymen of the State Attend Big Conference At Lexington Today.

Bishop William F. Anderson, of Cincinnati, arrived in Lexington yesterday to preside at a state-wide conference on religious education which was held yesterday afternoon at the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church. Bishop Anderson remained in the city to attend Wednesday's sessions on general church matters.

Dr. Ernest F. Waring, church editor, of Cincinnati; Dr. F. I. Johnson, of Columbus, Ohio, and Dr. John L. Fort, of Trinity church, Louisville, will be among the speakers at the conference which is being attended by more than fifty ministers and nearly as many laymen from all parts of the state.

Dr. Thomas Burroughs Roberts, pastor of the Centenary Methodist church, announced that three sessions will be held Wednesday which will be open to the public. The morning session, at 9:30 o'clock, will be in charge of the Committee on Church Program, the afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock and will be devoted to Church periodicals and Literature, and the Centenary Movement will be the subject of the evening session at 7:30 o'clock.

Dr. Frank L. McVey, president of the University of Kentucky, will be one of the speakers on tonight's program which is on religious education.

AUTO DRIVER FLOURISHES GUN.

The Fleming Gazette says: "In police court Friday W. T. Shields, the Sherburne truck driver, was fined \$100 and costs for flourishing a revolver on the streets here the day before. Shields, it will be remembered, was threatened by night riders some weeks ago over the tobacco business, and it is claimed had been advised to go armed. E. P. Davis, of Locust neighborhood claims Shields drew a gun and threatened to shoot him, apparently being under the influence of liquor. After the trial Shields declared he would throw the weapon into Licking River."

LOCAL BAND MANAGERS TO MEET OHIO STATE FAIR MEN.

Colonel J. Barbour Russell and Mr. A. L. Glasecock, of the managing committee for the Maysville Boys' Band, leave tomorrow morning for Columbus, Ohio, where they will have an audience with the Secretary of Agriculture of the State of Ohio and other members of the State Fair committee relative to a contract with the local band for music during the next fair season.

CINCINNATI MARKETS.

Wednesday, March 9.
Cattle—361, strong to quarter high-
er; Bulls, steady; Calves \$12.50@13.
Hogs—2539, active; Heavy \$11.00@
\$11.75; Mixed, Medium and Light, \$12;
Pigs, \$10.50; Rough, \$9; Stags, \$6.50.
Sheep—289, slow and steady; Lambs
\$5.00@10.25; Clips, \$5.00@9.00.

Miss Lyda Duke Woods, of Danville, is spending few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Woods of Forest avenue.

PLANNING FOR NEXT SEASON'S BAND CONTRACTS

Already Work Has Been Started at
Planning Schedule For Band
During the Summer
of 1922.

The following letter from Mr. Frank B. Miller, of Knoxville, Tenn., to Col. J. Barbour Russell, of the Boys' Band, is self explanatory:

"Dear Barbour: — I am inclosing Secretary Buckner's letter to me as in reply to my letter regarding the Maysville Boys' Band. You will note that I was mistaken in the number of weeks of this engagement. Eleven weeks, instead of sixteen.

"Since you don't have the time for this year, I have thought it would be well for you to give me an idea about the number of pieces your Instructor would suggest for a band for this Asheville occasion. In the mean time I will find out more about the Roy Smith Band, the number of pieces, and the information necessary to work on for next season.

"I learned from the secretary here that arrangements have been made for the same band this year that they had last, thus leaving us to keep posted in the mean time for the work next year.

"Barbour, with the advancement the band should make with this year's work, I can not but believe we can secure both Asheville and Knoxville for next season. Eleven or twelve weeks in stead of sixteen will help out for that.

"We are to suppose that the Royal Highlanders Band made a charge of \$6 a week, judging by the way Buckner put his question.

"Best wishes to all my old Maysville friends."

RECEIVES STATE APPOINTMENT.

Our local veterinarian, Dr. C. Lee Chollar has received appointment as authorized state stock inspector. His many friends and clients congratulate him.

GOVERNMENT SEED HAS ARRIVED FOR DISTRIBUTION.

The Public Ledger has received two

small pouches of garden and flower

seed from the government which will

be distributed free to our readers and

friends so long as it lasts. There is

a good selection but will not likely

last long. Those desiring to share in

this distribution are advised to come

to this office early.

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Copies of Ledger of Janury 8th, af-

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CENTRE BASKETBALL
TEAM DEFEATS HARVARD.

Cambridge, Mass., March 9. — The Centre College basketball team defeated Harvard, 41 to 36, here Monday night.

George Mayer, who played at center for the Colonels, was the star of the game, making 21 points. He made five goals from the floor.

The first half ended with the score at 23 to 17 in favor of the Kentuckians. "Bo" McMillin, captain of the foot ball team that came to the Stadium last fall and went back defeated by the Harvard eleven, played at right forward Monday night and scored two goals from the floor.

U. D. C. CHAPTER ASKS MORROW TO FIND PARSONS SLAYER.

Newport, Ky., March 9. — Henrietta Hunt Morgan Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, adopted resolutions urging Governor Morrow to take steps to see that the murderer of Lura Parsons, school teacher of the Pine Mountain Settlement school, near Harlan, Ky., be brought to justice.



Pastime Today

Universal-Jewel presents ERIC VON STROHEIM in

Blind Husbands

assisted by beautiful FRANCELIA BILLINGTON, JACK PERRIN and an all-star cast. A super production that is superior to "The Devil's Passkey," which was also directed by Von Stroheim. "Blind Husbands" carried the spectator to the Tyrolean Alps. It is presented in eight reels. It is the story of a neglected wife, who becomes involved with an Austrian officer, whose sole interest in life is women. When a husband becomes neglectful and unloving, should the wife accept the attentions of another?

PLEASE NOTE!! We do not prohibit the children on this picture but their attendance is not desired.

ADMISSION 15 AND 25 CENTS.

TOMORROW—That great man of mystery HOUDINI in "LAW PIRATES." Don't miss this one.

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FORMER SENATOR THOS. M. PAYNTER DIES AT FRANKFORT

Former U. S. Senator and Ex-Congressman from Ninth District Was Native of Lewis County.

Former United States Senator Thomas H. Paynter, 69 years old, died at his home at Frankfort Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock after a lingering illness. Not long ago he underwent an operation to restore his health, but after a temporary improvement it gradually declined and for ten days no hope had been entertained for his recovery.

Senator Paynter was active in public life for thirty years, serving successively as County Attorney of Greenup, Congressman, Appellate Judge, Chief Justice and United States Senator.

He was native of Lewis County, and a life long Democrat. He was graduated from Centre College, and went to Greenup when 21 years old and engaged in the practice of law.

Appointed County Attorney to fill a vacancy, he carried the county for the office at the succeeding election, although the county was Republican. This brought him to the notice of district leaders and he was nominated and elected to Congress in the Ninth District, by a few hundred votes. He won his second term by 5,000 and two years later, in a Presidential year, he carried this district by 3,000.

After six years in Congress he was elected to the Appellate Bench from the Sixth District, served out his full term, during which he presided one year as Chief Justice, and was re-elected.

In the midst of his second term he was called on unexpectedly as a candidate of the Beckham faction to oppose Senator Joe Blackburn before the Democratic Legislative caucus in 1907. He was elected and served one term, retiring in 1913. Since that time he had been engaged in the practice of the law.

Senator Paynter is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Pollock Paynter, and two children, Mrs. Morton K. Yonts, Louisville, and Pollock Paynter, of Frankfort.

His wife was a daughter of Joseph Pollock, for many years a banker at

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YOUR NEIGHBORS ARE SACRIFICING THEIR TIME IN OUR MEMBERSHIP DRIVE. WE ASK THAT YOU AID THEM IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE IN ORDER THAT WE MAY COVER THE ENTIRE COUNTY THIS WEEK, REMEMBER, THEY ARE WORKING FOR YOU.

Mason County Farm Bureau
M. C. KIRK, J. M. RILEY, W. B. SMOOT, DAN LLOYD, M. J. FLARITY, S. C. SHEPHERD, W. D. GALBREATH, GEO. DODSON, G. O. ASBURY, COMMITTEE.

Greenup.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at Frankfort Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

COVINGTON VOTE ENDING COMMISSION RULE VOIDED.

Frankfort, Ky., March 9.—The election in which the people of Covington cast a majority of their votes in favor of abolishing the commission form of government and returning to the old method of municipal organization, was not advertised, as the law requires in order to give proper public notice, the Court of Appeals said today in an opinion by Judge Sampson, holding the election invalid. Suit was filed to enjoin the clerk from certifying returns in the election. The Kenton Circuit Court decided in favor of the validity of the election, but was reversed.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Unclaimed letters in the Maysville postoffice week ending March 9:

Craycraft, Mary E.

Curtis, Geo.

Early, Mrs. Lena

Dueber, Thos. A.

Gleam, Dr.

Hamilton, Andrew J.

Longbottom, Miss Willia Lee

Mitchell, J. W.

Marshall, M. G.

Newman, Fred E.

White, Mrs. Albert

Williams, Mrs. Beattie

Williams, Fred

Wood, Robt. G.

Walker, Mrs. W. M.

One cent due on above letters; persons calling for same, will please say "Advertised."

M. F. KEHOE, P. M.

Rudyard Kipling has contracted to write seven scenarios for motion pictures.

Some cone bearing trees when cut down can sprout anew from the stump.

KRONSTADT IS BEING BURNED.

Copenhagen, March 9.—The latest Helsingors dispatches report that the Soviet government forces have recaptured the fortres of Kronaya Gorko and Systerbak this morning, and were training the big guns of these fortresses upon Kronstadt, where fires were observed.

An infantry assault by the Soviet troops upon Kronstadt is reported to have been repulsed with enormous losses to the attacking forces.

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KENTUCKY MINISTER APPEALS THREE-YEAR PRISON SENTENCE

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 9.—Appeal from sentences of three years each in Federal penitentiary has been filed in United States Circuit Court of Appeals here by the Reverend J. C. Bailey, Goose Creek, Knox county, Kentucky. The sentences were imposed by Judge A. M. J. Cochran, Covington, last November, following conviction under an indictment charging assault upon officers, December 3, 1918.

The Federal officers were on a hunt for illicit stills at the time of the assault, it was testified.

SPANISH PREMIER IS ASSASSINATED.

Madrid, March 9.—Premier Dato was assassinated last evening while returning from the Chamber in a motor car. He was attacked by several persons who fired a number of shots.

The actual assassin of the premier was a man on a motorcycle who fled.

COLORED CITIZENS.

There will be a farce given at the Dreamland Thursday night, March 10, for the benefit of the Colored Boys' Band. Refreshments served. All are invited to attend to help out in this worthy cause. Few choice selections by the band.

WE BUY HOUSES, LOTS AND FARM LAND.

We sell fire insurance. We write bonds, deeds, mortgages, collect accounts, rent and handle property. We also loan money in small ways.

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WANTED

WANTED—Five lady demonstrators for Oleomargarine, in city of Maysville. State experience, if any, also if you are in a position to start at once. Standard Nut Margarine Co., Indianapolis, Indiana. 9Mar21

MEN Wanted for detective work. Experience unnecessary. Write J. Ganor, former U. S. Gov't detective, St. Louis. 5Mar12-19-26

WANTED—500 Chairs to cane seat. Work guaranteed. Price reasonable. Maysville Chair Hospital, 105 East Third street, P. O. Box 284. 4M6

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two English Setter pups, about five months old. Apply to Max Hendrickson, Hendrickson's Paint Store. 2Mar4t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, with bath. Phone 104, or call 216 Court Street. 1Mar6t

LOST

LOST—Bunch of keys. Reward if returned to Ledger office. 7M-tf

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